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To: House Bill No. 6455

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"AN ACT CREATING THE CONNECTICUT MEDAL OF ACHIEVEMENT."

- 1 In line 7, strike "military service ordered by"
- 2 In line 8, strike "the Governor, including" and insert "the
- 3 performance of any state military service, including military service
- 4 described in section 27-61 of the general statutes, and" in lieu thereof
- 5 In line 10, strike "may" and insert "shall" in lieu thereof
- 6 In line 11, strike "three" and insert "five" in lieu thereof
- 7 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
- 8 internal references accordingly:
- 9 "Sec. 501. Section 27-73a of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 10 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):
- 11 The Adjutant General, at his or her discretion, may issue an

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12 appropriate service ribbon to all members of the armed forces of the 13 state ordered to active duty in time of emergency [in accordance with 14 section 27-14] for upholding the law and preserving order, [or] 15 protecting lives and property, [or] assisting civil authorities, [or the] 16 providing aid and relief [of] to civilians in disaster or similar service 17 ordered by the Governor. A bronze oak leaf cluster shall be issued in 18 lieu of succeeding awards and a silver oak leaf cluster [may] shall be 19 worn in lieu of [three] five bronze oak leaf clusters. [This section shall 20 apply to service rendered on or after August 19, 1955.]

Sec. 502. Section 27-73b of the general statutes is repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

The Adjutant General shall issue an appropriate service ribbon to all members of the unit declared to be the outstanding company-size unit in the Connecticut National Guard in accordance with National Guard regulations, provided such members participated in at least fifty per cent of the unit's training activities during the period covered by the award. A bronze oak leaf cluster shall be issued in lieu of succeeding awards and a silver oak leaf cluster [may] shall be worn in lieu of [three] five bronze oak leaf clusters. [These awards shall be made retroactive to 1947.]"

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	from passage	27-73a
Sec. 502	from passage	27-73b

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